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In connection with the filing of the above-described application, kindly enter the following preliminary amendments.

AMENDMENT

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 17, line 15, amend "selector 36" to read --selector 46--;

Page 26, line 22, amend "light source unit 52" to read --light source unit 52'--;

Page 36, line 13, amend "switch 56" to read --switch 76--;

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